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ENTHUSIASM SHOWN BY CITIZENS FOR A SPECIAL SCHOOL TAX

When it comes to efficiency in public service, chalk it high up in capital letters that Mayor H. H. Smith, of Daly City, marks A-1. Wednesday night's meeting at the City Hall in the interest of the Jefferson Union high school special election proved it.

Last week at a special meeting of the High School Board of Education, when a number of prominent citizens were present to discuss the educational needs of the Jefferson Union high school district, Mayor Smith was appointed chairman of the committee on publicity, with power to name the other members. Immediately the mayor named everyone present, with instructions to issue a special call for a public meeting of all friends of education.

The mayor's committee was efficient, too. The court room of the City Hall was filled beyond seating capacity. Representatives from the various districts which form the Jefferson Union high schol district, including Visitacion, were present.

Mayor Smith acted as chairman of the meeting and stated that its purpose was to discuss the educational needs of the high school district, and the special election to be held on May 11. "Everyone is interested," he said, "in the boys and girls of the community. What we want is to inform the people generally of the needs of the school, and they will do the rest."

The mayor also pointed out that Daly City and the entire Jefferson Union high school district, could send forth no better advertising to home seekers than the results of an election providing facilities for industrial education for the boys and girls of our district. "We are a progressive community," he said, "and we want the world to know that we stand for modern education."

The chairman called upon Mrs. Stella L. Jensen, secretary of the High School Board of Education, to give a report which she had prepared regarding the expenditure of funds voted two years ago.

Quoting from the official minutes of the meetings of the board, Mrs. Jensen showed that bids for the construction of a shop building had been called for over a year ago, but that the bids were above the amount available. The board ordered the plans revised, but even then the bids were too high and had to be rejected.

Meanwhile, the cost of water for the high school use became so great that the board took under advisement the installation of a water system for the school. After consulting with engineers it was found that the cost of such a system would be met within a few years by the saving in monthly bills. The result, Mrs. Jensen stated, justified the action of the board, for the school now has an ample supply of water at the mere cost of operation of the plant.

The next item of expenditure reported was the construction of an athletic field. This was necessary because there were no funds to construct a gymnasium, and the board did not want to ask the district to vote funds for such a building until it became absolutely necessary to do so. Besides, Mr. Jensen pointed out that the state law requires physical education to be given to every pupil, and that the construction of the athletic field was the most effective and least expensive way of meeting the requirements.

The third item of expense was the construction of a fence, made necessary by the driving of automobiles and delivery wagons through the high school grounds. This caused continual interruption of the work of the school. Recitations had to stop until the noise passed away. But in addition these machines endangered the lives of the pupils who were on the grounds. The cost of the fence was a small item when compared with the safety of the pupils.

In response to the call of the chairman, Principal James Ferguson, of the Jefferson Union high school, explained the educational needs of the school. "A modern school," Mr. Ferguson said, "means an equal opportunity for all pupils, whether they are preparing for business or industry, or going on to college. It means that the child of the poor man shall have an equal chance with the child of the rich man in acquiring an education fitting him for his life work.

"Jefferson Uinon high school," he said, "offers a course in auto mechanics for the boys. About forty are enrolled in this course. But the work has to be carried on in the basement of the building, where electiric lights are needed throughout the entire day. In addition, the ceiling is low, and the ventilation consequently bad. Both from the point of view of efficient work and the health of the pupils, the arrangement is undesirable. The fire hazard, too, is great, and should not be continued.

"The special tax asked for is to provide a building to house this department," he said. "We have a highly efficient instructor, almost one-half of whose salary is paid by the Federal government upon the recommendation of the State Department of Education. But the state department, as well as the industrial educational department of the State University, recognizes the fact that no teacher can do his best by his pupils when working under such conditions. These educational authorities, however, believe that the people of this district will now furnish the needed building and equipment to bring this work in the Jefferson Union high school up to the highest standard."

Mr. Ferguson called attention to the need of industrial education in such communities as Daly City, Colma and Visitacion, located, as they are, close to San Francisco—the greatest industrial center of the Pacific Coast. He also spoke of the value of such education in our high school as an attraction to homeseekers—parents who want their children given a modern education.

The chairman called particular attention to the date of the election, May 11, and announced that the polls would be open from 1 p. m. to 8 p. m. on that day. The polling places, he announced as follows: For Visitacion district, the grammar school building; for Jefferson school district, the high school building; and for the remainder of the district, Rockaway Beach grammar school building.

Upon invitation of the chair, a general discussion followed as to the best means of publicity for the election. Upon motion the chair appointed a committee in each precinct to bring the voters to the polls. Donations were suggested in order that bills and other forms of advertising might be used, and generous responses were made by Dr. Rankin, Mayor Smith and Mr. Twesten, and others promptly offered their automobiles to help bring out the voters.

The chairman expressed the opinion that a mass meeting should be called to acquaint the general public with the urgent need in the present situation. In response it was decided unanimously to hold such a meeting in the high school auditorium on next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at which time other speakers will be present.

President Gehringer, of the high school board, after the meeting, expressed his delight at the enthusiasm shown. Trustees Bentley, Brown and Stark were also present and expressed confidence in the successful outcome of the election.

HONOR PARENTS ON SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Twenty-five years ago, in San Francisco, a young couple entered the holy bonds of matrimony. On Saturday evening, April 28, the three children of that couple, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Blaylock, of Evergreen avenue, were hosts and hostess at a reception in honor of their parents' silver wedding anniversary.

The home was daintily decorated with flowers and greens. In the living room was hung a cluster of wedding bells, tied with silver ribbon. Mr. and Mrs. Blaylock received many beautiful gifts.

Among the guests were Mrs. Blaylock's sister, Mrs. Harry A. Stockwell, of Berkeley, who had been her sister's bridesmaid, and John Benson, of Vallejo, who had been best man at the wedding. Many of the other guests of that wedding twenty-five years ago were present Saturday evening.

A complete list of the guests follows: Mr. and Mrs. John Benson and daughter Mabel, of Vallejo; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stockwell, of Berkeley; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Richardson, of San Quentin; Mrs. Annie Ostrom, Miss Ida Stuckit, Mrs. Anna Warswick, Miss Marie Sampson, Mrs. Lippman, Mrs. Kramer, Mr. and Mrs. Sharkey and daughter, Mrs. Pearl Freeman and daughter, of San Francisco; Mr. Harold Richardson and Miss Florence Ricketts, of Oakland; and Mrs. C. O'Conner, Mrs. Foppiano, Buster Foppiano, Mr. and Mrs. Mal Tacchi, Mrs. R. Brauns, Al Brauns, and Gertrude Brauns, of Daly City.

FIVE INJURED IN CRASH

Five persons were injured as the result of automobile accidents in Burlingame last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Weisenberger, of Lawndale, were injured when their car was struck by a truck, Mrs. Weisenberger sustaining a fractured leg and arm. Miss Mary Devilbliss and Miss Clara Mohr, of San Francisco and M. C. Ballarino, of Palo Alto, were also injured at about the same time in another accident.

LOCAL BOY SCOUTS MAKE GOOD SHOWING AT ANNUAL 'MEET'

Six Scouts from Daly City's pride, Troop 103 of the Boy Scouts, represented that troop in the Scout jamboree held at the Burlingame high school last Saturday, April 28. A Scout jamboree is a competition of troops in a certain district, this jamboree covering the whole of San Mateo county, that meaning approximately thirty troops participating. Troop 103, having the following boys representing them, Al Ennis, Raymond Heinrichs, Thurston Bentley, Arthur Crocker, Wayne Swanson and Bill Pilgrim, showed that they were small in numbers, but had a large fighting heart, which only comes from their love and pride in an organization.

This small representation carried the troop as runner-ups in every event in which they entered, and when we figure the number of boys they had to compete with, we are exceedingly proud of their showing, as they defeated the law of averages in their showing as runner-ups.

Al Ennis carried away the honors in the troop during the day. He repeated his performance of last year, and still holds the throne of Fire by Friction Champion of this county, as he smashed his record of last year by four seconds, making his mark in fifteen seconds. Raymond Heinrichs, our other contestant in this event, extended the champion by finishing two seconds later.

Our signaling team, consisting of Arthur Crocker and Raymond Heinrich as senders, and Thurston Bentley and Al Ennis as receivers, are to be highly complimented on their performance. They sent a message and received same at the rate of sixty-five letters a minute, using the semaphore system, that rate being far above the average rate of speed, and but for a small technicality overlooked by the receivers, they should have received the first place.

As a result of the jamboree the troop has already plunged into a system of hard work for the next jamboree, and they promise a different story at that time.

To carry out a troop to success, it is necessary that it be filled up to its limit with hard and earnest working young men. It needs boys who can compete with others in any form of competition, and who have the trend of spirit that makes one an unselfish winner, and a good sport as a loser.

So let us citizens of this community get behind this movement. It is a development of the character of our boys and gives to them the inspiration of leadership, which should be in the heart of every young man, as a preparation for his life's work, both as to his personal advancement and public duties.

PARTY GIVEN IN HONOR OF EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

Little Miss Anne Steele was guest of honor at a party given by her mother, Mrs. M. Steele, of Winchester street, in honor of her eighth birthday, on Wednesday of last week. The dining room and table were prettily decorated in pink, green and white. The afternoon was spent in playing games, after which dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Steele to the following little guests: Annellie Sundy, Beatrice Cuneo, Patsy Cochrane, Millicent Johnson, Phyllis Johnson, Meta Callan, Kathryn Callan, Josephine Rawie, Josephine Donehue, Ann Marie Donehue, Frances Rock, Ada Rock, George Coen, Rita Skov, Betty Coen, Dreta Willson, Dorothy Moran, Henry Steele, Frank Coen, Margaret Steele, Julia Steele and Anne Steele.

ST. MAXIMUS PARISH NOTES

On next Sunday there will be the regular monthly meeting of the Archconfraternity of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. The devotions will be conducted by Father Meade of the Redemptorist Fathers, who will continue his discourses on the Seven Dolors of the Blessed Virgin, and will give the blessing of the sick. Those who have petitions to recommend to the prayers of the members are asked to hand them in as soon as possible. The devotions in the evening will commence at 8 o'clock.

On Sunday, May 13, the members of Mission Council of the Young Men's Institute will receive Holy Communion in a body at the 8:30 o'clock mass, in commemoration of the forty-fifth year of its institution.

The boys are working hard to get together the necessary means to erect their athletic field. We hope that there will be sufficient on hand soon to warrant early construction. A little encouragement on our part will make this possible.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS TAKE HEAVY TOLL DURING PAST YEAR

Traffic accidents that last year cost the lives of approximately 26,000 persons in the United States and entailed a loss estimated at more than $700,000,000 in money were made the basis of an urgent "safety first" plea by the National Automobile Club to its more than 51,000 members in California.

In a statement to the members it is pointed out by Arnold Hodgkinson, general manager of the club, that there is something radically wrong when so great a loss of valuable human life can occur through the medium of a single mechanism. He believes that it is the duty of every motorist to take immediate and earnest stock of the situation and to make every effort he possibly can to reduce this appalling number of fatalities.

"There is something radically wrong" said Hodgkinson, "in every traffic accident, whether it involves the loss of human life or only of money. There is something wrong with the driver, the pedestrian, the automobile, the control system, the construction of the highway or street, the traffic ordinances, the police department or with the community as a whole.

"A recent study of traffic accidents in many of the large cities of the country has revealed that by far the greater number of street accidents involve a pedestrian. This is due not only to the carelessness of the automobile driver but also to the carelessness of the pedestrian. Both in many cases deliberately violated the traffic ordinances governing the use of the street crossings at intersections.

"In the one case, that of the drivers, it was found that they deliberately failed to wait for the second bell and the showing of the green "go" light. In their haste to be on their way they did not give the pedestrian traffic full chance to clear the pedestrian lanes.

"This tendency on the part of many, many drivers, is one that should be curbed at all costs by the traffic police departments of the various cities in which pedestrian control ordinances exist. Severe penalties, rigidly enforced by the traffic courts, will do much to bring this about.

"At the same time it must be brought home to the drivers through motoring organizations that their disregard for law and the rights of other motorists and pedestrians is causing a great loss of life. Thus through the medium of rigid enforcement and propaganda some reduction in the loss of life will be possible.

"It also is necessary that pedestrians in the large cities be made to realize that they owe a duty to themselves as well as to others to heed the traffic signals in the congested districts. They must also be made to realize, through adequate punishments and other means, that it is not only dangerous but illegal to cross an intersection against the traffic.

"Too many pedestrians still think that traffic ordinances and traffic control systems were inaugurated for the motorists alone. Hence 'jay walking' with all its dangers is still far too prevalent on the streets of all the American cities."

COMMERCE DIRECTORS ENDORSE COAST ROAD

Unqualified approval of the proposed Coastside highway under the plan proposed by the Tri-County Highway district, was voted Tuesday morning by the directors of the Chambers of Commerce of Redwood City, San Mateo and Burlingame, at a breakfast meeting held at the Hotel Benjamin Franklin. The action was taken after careful explanation of the project had been made by County Surveyor George A. Kneese, State Senator M. B. Johnson and Supervisor Rosalie M. Brown.

Surveyor Kneese, in a clear, concise explanation of the project, showed that the taxpayers need have no cause for alarm over the apparently large total of the estimates of the cost of the road. He stated that the estimates were made by the engineers of San Francisco, San Mateo and Santa Cruz counties for organziation purposes only and represented the approximate cost of the final completion of a contemplated highway 100 feet in width.

This work, according to Kneese, will be done year by year as the funds are available, and the taxpayers under the law can never be called on to pay a tax of more than 5 cents on each $100 of assessed valuation duing any one fiscal year. The supervisors, however, may allot whatever sums they desire from the gas tax money apportioned to the county.

RAISING FUNDS FOR BASKETBALL COURT

"The Failure of Success" will be the interesting Sunday evening subject at the Daly City Methodist church. We invite every one to attend our services, and we call particular attention to the Sunday evening music, as we endeavor to give the people of Daly City nothing but the best. Prof. Goudey plays for us regularly, and is greatly enjoyed by the congregation.

The Sunday morning service is well worth while, and again we invite you to attend.

The basketball court for the community organizations is now under way and we expect to have it completed before many days. All we need at present is more funds. You can help by giving your bit.

Here are a few lines of thought written by Roy Smith. Read them.

The church is not made up of people who are better than the rest, but of people who are trying to become better than they are.

One reason why some people do not believe in shouting about religion is because they do not have enough to shout about.

I believe in the church, not because she has attained perfection, but because she refuses to lose confidence in the possibility of perfection.

The church is guilty of many imperfections, but that is partly because she has preached such standards of perfection that her own failures are painfully apparent.

ELLIOTT L. FISHER, Pastor.

SCOUTS WIN PRAISE AT ANNUAL JAMBOREE

Half Moon Bay Troop, Boy Scouts of America, although organized only two months ago, won first prize for neatness and discipline when troops from all parts of San Mateo county lined up before the judges at the big annual Boy Scout jamboree held during the past week end in Burlingame.

San Mateo and Burlingame troops carried off honors for the best drilled organizations and for signalling at the gathering, attended by more than 500 Scouts and officials from all parts of the San Francisco bay district.

Troop No. 10, of Burlingame, was the highest point scoring troop at the rally, declared to have been the most successful ever held in the county. Troop No. 10, under Acting Scoutmaster John Eldridge, scored 36 points; Troop No. 98, of San Mateo, Scoutmaster A. J. Caferata, was second with 26 points; third place went to Troop No. 174, Burlingame, with 21 points. Raymond Perrin, assistant Scoutmaster, was in charge of the troop.

The jamboree started with a parade on Burlingame avenue, headed by the San Mateo county Boy Scout band, under the leadership of Eugene O. Brose. The parade was reviewed at the grand stand by Chairman C. J. Eldridge, Chief of Police John I. Harper, Harold Stein and other guests of the San Mateo county district.

FILES ACCEPTANCE OF CAUDLESTICK POINT PERMIT

Acceptance of a permit to build a $40,000,000 bridge over San Francisco bay at Candlestick Point is reported to have been filed at Redwood City by Attorney Albert Mansfield, of Redwood City, who declares that the franchise granted by the county supervisors March 5 and rescinded a week later, is valid. The thirty-day time limit for the filing of an acceptance of the franchise expires May 12.

"I am filing an acceptance of the bridge franchise today and will institute court action in the very near future to force issuance of the permit by the supervisors," said the attorney. "The franchise granted on March 5 by unanimous vote of the board constitutes a vested right and can not be withdrawn under reconsideration by the granting body," Mansfield claims.

Court action will be filed, asking a mandatory order which will require Chairman John Poole of the board of supervisors to issue and sign the Candlestick franchise, it was stated by the attorney, who said he is representing powerful interests fully capable of financing the big bay span.

The franchise was granted on the motion of Supervisor Thomsa Hickey, with Supervisor Rosalie M. Brown voting for it so that she could move for reconsideration. Mrs. Brown's motion for a second vote brought defeat of the franchise on March 12.

The granting of the franchise brought a storm of protest and was contested by San Mateo county and San Francisco interests which sent a large delegation to the meeting of the county board on March 12. At this meeting the franchise was denied.

SAN FRANCISCO WILL PAY 55 PER CENT OF COST OF COAST ROAD

The prospects for the completion of the proposed coast highway from San Francisco to Santa Cruz are much brighter as a result of action taken by the San Francisco board of supervisors last Mooday.

The San Francisco supervisors, by an almost unanimous vote, the only opposition coming from Supervisor Milton Marks, decided to assume 55 per cent of the cost of building the tri-counties scenic coastal highway between San Francisco and Santa Cruz.

This action by the San Francisco board of supervisors brought actual work on the project a step nearer. Both San Mateo and Santa Cruz counties are reported satisfied with the agreement ratifed by Sana Francisco last Monday. San Mateo county will bear 30 per cent of the highway cost, and Santa Cruz county 15 per cent.

State Senator M. B. Johnson, of Montara, one of the sponsors of the coastal highway plan, explained that it would require fifteen years to complete the work.

The total cost will be in the neighborhood of $5,300,000, of which San Francisco will pay approximately $2,900,000. Work on two important links is expected to begin within the next three months, according to the report of the engineers.

AIR TRANSPORTATION MAKES GREAT STRIDES

Overwhelming evidence of the giant strides made by the air transportation industry in the past year is revealed in the first annual business report of Mills Field, San Francisco's municipal airport, just released. It covers the twelve months of operation since the airport opened in May, 1927.

A total of 8,077 flights and landings, with 12,350 passengers, in planes of every type that arrived from and left for all parts of the world, is shown in the official compilation of the city's airport commitee, composed of Supervisors Milo F. Kent, Andrew J. Gallagher and Frank J. McGovern.

There were 1,940 flights and landings during April, with 3,272 passengers, the biggest month of the year. During the five days of the Western Aircraft Show at Mills Field, from April 11 to 15, there were 796 flights and landings, with 1,489 passengers. Even deducting those five days, the April business showed a great gain over March.

Mills Field, recognized as "America's Model Airport," is now taxed to its capacity with business despite the fact that expansion of equipment has continued regularly since the airport was established.

GROUND BREAKNIG CEREMONY FOR SPAN

Plans have been completed for the celebration at the ground breaking ceremonies for the San Mateo-Hayward bridge project next Sunday.

John J. McGrath, chairman of the citizens' committee, announces that the band and speakers' stands have been completed and that the Sciots' band of San Mateo and a joint band from San Francisco and San Mateo counties will be on hand, and that there will be singing by the school children.

Chairman McGrath also announced that he had assurance from Milo F. Kent, chairman of the airport committee of the San Francisco board of supervisors, that two squadrons of airplanes, ten ships in formation, will fly over the crowds at the groundbreaking celebration and drop flowers as one of the principal features of the ceremonies.

It is expected that the celebration will attract the greatest throng of citizens of San Mateo county ever attracted to any event in the county's history. It is hoped that Governor C. C. Young will be present.

GLASCOCK ENDS DUTIES AS SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

W. L. Glascock ended his duties as superintendent of the San Mateo Union high school district on Wednesday. Glascock originally submitted his resignation last February, to take effect "upon the appointment of his successor." He notified the board of trustees Wednesday, however, that he had completed his work of assisting Auditor C. E. Piatt straighten out the affairs of the district, and asked to be released from further duties.

The trustees agreed to Glascock's request, and his official connection with the school district which he has served for fifteen years ended last Wednesday morning.

STURDY PEOPLE ARE PROSPERING IN THEIR NEW AMERICAN HOMES

A few months after the World war ended, there emerged from the travail of that struggle a healthy baby nation, on the shores of the storied Adriatic Sea. By common consent of its component states, the youngster was called Jugo-Slavia (Southern Slavs.) And to prove in most emphatic fashion the progressiveness and virility of that young nation, it was not many years thereafter that its former nationals in far-off California were contesting lustily for first honors as apple and grape growers and fishermen and canners, and were actually winning many such honors.

Of equal importance as a proof of their up-to-date ideas, said nationals, together with their compatriots of Czecho-Slavia (Northern Slavs), achieved the establishment of their own department in the west's greatest financial institution, the Bank of Italy, with one of their countrymen, Antone Pilcovich, in charge. Through this department they have banked aggregate deposits of nearly $20,000,000, which gives a fair idea of how these sturdy peoples have progressed in this far-western land.

It is not generally known, perhaps, that these transplanted Slavs from two of the world's youngest nations are among the leading apple growers of the Watsonville region; that their broad acres in the Fresno region have produced many a fine grape harvest; that they are leaders in horticulture and agriculture in the Santa Clara valley, and that they control the very considerable fishing industry in and around San Pedro. In this last named particular it may be said that the French Sardine Company cannery at San Pedro, one of the largest fish canneries in Southern California, is owned by former Jugo-Slavs and that they also own a fleet of some 300 boats working offshore for barracuda, tuna and other fine fish out of San Pedro.

Primarily, however, they are taking advantage of the opportunities offered by the great bank to achieve American citizenship in the shortest possible time. There are 10,280 of them on the bank's customer lists, and each one of them has been given full instruction, through the bank, to qualify him for the privilege of citizenship. The bank considers its efforts to encourage naturalization of its eligible alien customers equally as important as its efforts to obtain their business and start them on the high road to prosperity, and the Northern and Southern Slavs are responding most heartily to this endeavor. The bank prepares the first citizenship papers, sends out literature instructing the prospective citizens and takes every possible step in his behalf.

The Slavonic department of the bank was organized July 7, 1921, and is represented in Los Angeles, San Pedro, Mountain View, Sunnyvale, Sacramento and Oakland, as well as in San Francisco. It offers every type of banking service in the native tongue of the customer, whether he be Serb, Croat, Slovene, Slovakian or Bohemian. It handles approximately 5,000 remittances to the new Slav countries every year, and, through the service of its trust officers manages the property and affairs of many Slavs who have gone abroad for travel or to stay. Deposits for the bank are sent in from as far north as Alaska and as far south as Arizona.

The Slavonic department has spread the gospel of American citizenship, and the name of the Bank of Italy in such effective fashion that the Slavic national, whether he be merchant or immigrant, can now be numbered among the most productive and patriotic Americans, and among the most important investors in securities offered by the bank. Virtually every customer from the new Slav states is the owner of either Bank of Italy or Bancitaly Corporation stock.

The liberty loving nationals of the two new Slav nations grasp the ideals of American citizenship rapidly. In addition, their progressiveness and thrift, which compelled the establishment of the department described here, but two short years after their countries came into being, are important elements in the prosperity of the commonwealth of California.

FALSE ECONOMY IN BUILDING LEADS TO USELESS FIRE WASTE

False economy in building homes, office buildings, stores and factories often leads to useless fire waste. A few more dollars invested in better building methods would often check the spread of flames, making it possible to keep a fire under control until the fire department arrived.

"When a man is building a home and the architect draws his plans according to all the standards of fire protection, should the owner wish to reduce the cost as shown by the estimate, the first things to be eliminated are too often the factors of safety," says Warren Ellis of the National Board of Fire Underwriters. 'A cedar-lined closet seems far more important than the fact that their stairway is unenclosed, that fire stops within the walls have been eliminated or that their chimney has a flue which is not absolutely safe. If it means elimination of a breakfast nook to get a fire-resistive roof, they much prefer to get along without the safe roof. This is false economy.

"False economy is a habit of the American people when it comes to constructing fire-resistive buildings, and a campaign against this attitude should show results in the first generation. We can just as readily acquire the habit of desiring fire-resistive buildings as of being willing to take chances."

Warmer weather will no doubt encourage a new crop of Channel swimmers and flag pole sitters.

Many people depend largely on the automobile industry, including undertakers, surgeons and florists.

LEGION MEMBERS TO JOIN IN PEACE MOVE

California World war veterans are being enrolled for a solid front drive on the members of the congressional delegation from this state for support of the permanent peace legislation now pending at Washington, according to State Adjutant James K. Fisk of the American Legion, which is sponsoring the legislation, known as the Universal Draft measure.

State Adjutant Fisk has received the following telegram from National Commander Spafford of the American Legion, who recently completed an airplane tour of the west and middle west in the interest of the universal draft bill which would draft capital and labor as well as men in times of war: "Concentrate the efforts of your department upon securing favorable action upon this most vital part of our peace legislation program as embodied in the universal draft bill now before Congress."

TWO FAMOUS CONDUCTORS MAKE PACIFIC COAST DEBUT

Those delightful Sunday afternoon concerts presented during the summer by the Philharmonic Society of San Mateo County will be of unusual interest this season, as two of the three conductors engaged for the eight concerts will be making their Pacific Coast debut in the Woodland Theatre at Hillsborough.

Although well known in New York, where he has been guest conductor every season since 1920, Albert Coates has not previously been in the West, and his initial appearance is awaited with keen anticipation. His career has been largely a series of "guest" conductors with most of the great opera houses of Europe, as well as the noted Symphony orchestras, although for seven years he was artistic director as well as conductor of the Imperial Opera of Petrograd.

Bernardino Molinari, distinguished conductor of the Orchestra of the Augustem in Rome, was first heard in this country only last January, and the enthusiastic comments following his first concert amply substantiated the reputation which had preceded him. After six weeks as guest conductor of the St. Louis orchestra, Molinari returned to his own orchestra in Rome to finish the season, and will come directly to San Mateo for the first concert in a second series of concerts this season. While in California, Molinari will conduct also for the San Francisco Summer Symphony Association and the Hollywood Bowl concerts before going East to conduct several concerts in the New York Stadium.

The third of the trio of conductors engaged for the Philharmonic series is Ossip Gabrilowitsch, conductor of the Detroit Symphony orchestra and noted concert pianist, who will direct the final three concerts of the season. Mr. Gabrilowitsch conducted three concerts each of the first two seasons, and his return again this year will be welcomed by a host of admirers.

TALKING PICTURES ARE BEING SHOWN AT EMBASSY THEATRE

The Embassy Theatre presented its second talking picture last Thursday, to be shown for one week. This is "Tenderloin," a melodrama of the underworld, starring beautiful Dolores Costello, who, has not been seen in San Francisco for many months. The developments in Vitaphone which were forecast in many sequences of "The Jazz Singer," became realized in this new talking and singing screen drama.

Where it has been considered advantageous to the development of the plot, dialogue has been employed entirely. Many of the love scenes gain in appeal through the spoken word, while many of the more gripping dramatic episodes are heightened by the introduction of dialogue.

Dolores Costello has abandoned her costume garb in this drama of the underworld but has augmented both her pictorial and histronic appeal through the change. Playing opposite the star is Conrad Nagel, who, after success in other melodramas during the past season, is able to create a distinctly different characterization. In other supporting roles Dan Wolheim, George Stone, and Mitchell Lewis provide menace and background for the love interest. This talking drama became the talk of New York over night, and has achieved like success wherever played in the country. The presentation at the Embassy marks the Pacific Coast premiere of the production.

On the surrounding bill, Abe Lyman and his orchestra and Brown and Whitaker of vaudeville renown are seen and heard in shorter subjects, along with Movietone, the talking news reel.

OPERATOR IS HEROINE OF BLAZE IN HOSPITAL

A fire which broke out recently in the Bushwick hospital in Brooklyn might have been attended with fatal results had it not been for the pluck of Miss Lillian Bushman, telephone operator. She remained at her switchboard, calling nurses to their posts and answering incoming ambulance calls until she collapsed from the dense fumes which filled the room. Fortunately the fire was controlled before great damage had resulted, but it was necessary to remove fifteen babies from the maternity ward by way of the fire escape and to summon every nurse in the hospital for immediate duty.

TO SET HIGH MAK IN HIGHWAY BUILDING

Road constructon in 1928 will at least equal and probably slightly exceed the highest mark recorded in any preceding year.

Programs of state and federal-aid highway systems include new construction of more than 20,000 miles of surface roads and about 8,000 miles of graded and drained. In addition, maintenance, and repair work will be done on at least 240,000 miles of state highways.

Funds available to state highway departments are fully 25 per cent greater in amount than last year, amounting this year to $750,000,000. Expenditures by county and local units will swell the highway total to upwards of $1,300,000,000.

Widening pavements is becoming a fixed feature of highway improvement programs.

BONANZA MINING DAYS PASSING INTO HISTORY

The Portland Gold Mining Company of Colorado is preparing to make exhaustive tests of low grade Colorado ores at its new Victor mill. It will treat ores yielding only $2 to $4 a ton from the various big mines that can produce an enormous tonnage, and will seek to prove that even these cheap ores can be profitably mined.

Metallurgy and mining have made extraordinary strides in the past few years. The old bonanza days are being overshadowed by the later steam shovel "plugging" days, when quantity and trained skill are better than mere luck.

The mining industry, by improving methods of mineral extraction, is doing its share and more to conserve our natural resources.

P. G. & E. TO BUILD DAM ON UPPER MOKELUMNE

The Pacific Gas and Electric Company has filed with the Federal Power Commission an application for further water and power development on the Mokelumne river.

The company now proposes to erect a rock-filled dam, with a concrete face, approximately 300 feet in height, 800 feet thick at the base, and 25 feet wide at the top. The crest or top length will be 1,300 feet.

It will be located on the upper Mokelumne, 50 miles northeast of Jackson, at a site 3,650 feet above sea level. Through the erection of this dam it will be possible to store 130,000 acre feet of water.

The application calls for the erection of the Salt Springs power house at the base of the dam, which will have an installed capacity of 11,000 horsepower.

The construction of a concrete-lined canal and tunnels for the conveying of water from Salt Springs to a proposed regulating reservoir on Tiger creek.

The erection of a forebay on Tiger creek from where water will be dropped approximately 1,200 feet through penstocks to the proposed Tiger creek power house, which will have an installed capacity of 67,000 horsepower.

The construction of a 110,000 volt power line from Salt Springs power house to the Tiger Creek power house.

GERMANS WIN FAVOR

Germany appears to have made particularly happy choices of recent ambassadores to the United States, according to information from Washigton.

The late Baron Ago von Maltzan, who was killed in an airplane accident while on a visit to his home in Germany a few months ago, was one of the most popular among the high diplomats accredited to this country, and his charming wife was a prime favorite in official social circles.

The new ambassador, von Prittwitz, is apparently winning equal favor, and his accomplished wife is likewise acclaimed as a most delightful woman, of aristocratic birth, but of democratic tendencies.

She was Countess von Strachwitz, of a formerly wealthy German family impoverished by the World war. She opened a hat shop in Berlin, which she managed with much success, and being without a suitable home for her wedding, she had the ceremony performed in her shop, to which her customers, as well as her distinguished friends, were invited. The wedding breakfast was served in the workroom.

Her husband now having risen to the rank of ambassador, she doesn't trim hats for customers any more, but she relates many amusing anecdotes concerning her business experience. She is fond of athletics and a famous skater, having won several prizes in Berlin for her proficiency in that sport.

The favorable impression created by these German representatives has already exerted an important influence in restoring good will between the two countries.

500 JUNIOR BASEBALL TEAMS TO ENTER LEGION'S TOURNEY

Five hundred junior baseball teams will be entered in the California elimination contests of the American Legion's national tournament to decide the junior baseball championship of the United States, according to State Adjutant James K. Fisk, of the state headquarters of the Legion in San Francisco. The boy teams will compete in the various districts of the state under the direction of the local Legion posts, and the winners will play elimination contests to determine the state champion. The tourneys will be staged during July and August. J. Cal Ewing, owner of the Oakland club of the Pacific Coast Baseball League, will help finance the teams in Alameda county, and the regional championship games for California, Nevada and Arizona will be staged at the Oakland baseball park.

Boys of Bridgeton, N. J., had better watch their step, according to a dispatch from that town which says: "The spanking machine for delinquent boys, abondoned eight years ago, will be restored here."

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TAB'S CLEVERNESS

Tab was a fire cat and he loved the firemen and they loved him.

When they were getting on their fire suits Tab rushed from one to the other carrying each fireman his boots.

You might have thought Tab would have made mistakes. Boots look so much alike.

But Tab knew them all—every one, and he got every pair of boots for the right owner.

He carried many of their other belongings to them, and it saved them a great deal of time and hurrying.

Tab had lived long enough in the engine house to know that every minute counted after the fire alarm had come in.

Now the men hadn't time to thank their pet for his cleverness then.

Tab understood that, too!

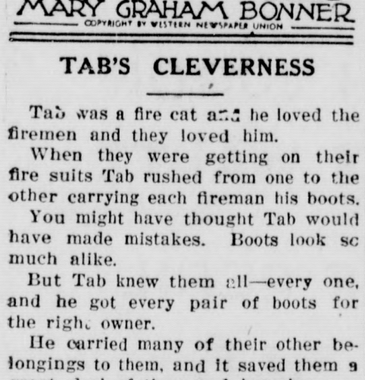
He was quite satisfied that he had made no mistakes.

He knew he hadn't, for every man had put on the things he had brought to him.

How happy and elated and proud was Tab. He was a real engine house cat now, he felt sure they'd say so when they came home from the fire.

And wasn't he petted when they did come home? They told everyone about Tab, the fire cat, and many of their friends came to see Tab.

He would do his tricks for the



Carrying Each Fireman His Boots

guests because it pleased his firemen masters, for they were the only ones he cared about.

After a time he learned all the alarm bells that came in when fires broke out.

He knew the differences between them, and always, from the time when he considered he had become a cat, he helped the firemen hurry to the fire.

He never made a mistake in giving each one the right things, and he never made a mistake in the fire bells.

But one day a fire broke out in the house next door. Tab smelt smoke—he knew the kind of burning smell it was, for the firemen always were full of it after they had come home from the fire.

He felt sure it was next door, but still he couldn't understand why the alarm hadn't come in.

He went to one of the firemen who was on duty but who had not noticed the smell of smoke.

Tab sniffed and made the fireman see what he meant.

And, sure enough, there was a fire next door, and Tab was the one who had sent in the alarm.

The fire was put out before it had a chance to get very far, and the people in the house said:

"To think of living next to a fire house and to have the cat save us and our house by sending in the alarm."

And the firemen were still more proud of their fire cat, Tab.

And he was so glad that they were pleased with him. It made his purring happier than ever!

Dog Saved Master's Life

Mr. John Flynn of Australia was out walking with his dog when a tree fell on him and severely injured his back. When he regained consciousness he discovered that he could not extricate himself.

His faithful dog was still keeping watch by him. Suddenly he thought of a pencil in his pocket, and, having also an old newspaper, he wrote a note to his wife and attached it to the collar of the dog. He then sent it off, and the animal semed to understand what was required.

The dog barked furious at the door of the house until it was opened by Mrs. Flynn. She read the note, procured assistance, and the dog led the rescuers to the spot where Mr. Flynn lay injured.

Sayings of Baby

Ray, age three years, was talking to a man who had lost two of his fingers. He stood looking at the man's hand and finally asked why the fingers were missing.

"I chopped them off with an ax while chopping wood."

"Well," said Ray, "the next time I chop wood I'll use a saw."

Pood Dad

"Do you take after your father?" asked the caller, who was being entertained by little Bobby.

"No," replied the kid, "nobody takes after daddy; he is the last to take anything and only gets what's left."—Exchange

HUGHIE'S CATCH WON BALL GAME

Jennings Put Up Brilliant Game With Baltimore.

Hugh A. Jennings was the shortstop for that famous aggregation known as the Orioles of Baltimore back in the '90s. When he joined the club it wasn't so famous, for the team and second division were synonymous.

From 1892 until 1899, Jennings created a record in the shortstop position that lives in baseball history as one of the greatest. A brilliant, scrappy player he was the personification of all that goes to make a ball player great.

It was Bill Dahlen against Hughie Jennings. Which was the greatest? It was a tossup but the palm would drift toward Hughie for the red-head was a bona fide .300 hitter and his style of play was slightly more sensational. This story will describe Hughie Jennings in his manner of play for, possibly, this was his most brilliant stunt in fielding.

It was growing dark and the Orioles were making life miserable for Umpire Tim Keefe but he refused to call the game as he considered it light enough to finish the contest.

The game meant the winning or losing of a pennant. In the tight race of 1895, the Cleveland and Baltimore clubs were locked in a terrific struggle for first place—only half a game separating them in the last few days of the race.

In this game the Orioles had the Giants as their opponents and the feeling existing between these teams wasn't the sweetest or most kindly.

In the eighth inning the Orioles had the lead, 5 to 2, and that was the reason they wanted the umpire to call the game. In that round Mike Tiernan, the first batter up, drove out a hit good for two bases. Van Haltren received a pass and with George Davis up it looked like a Taral finish for the Giants but Davis failed to deliver.

Borten, a new man in the league, stepped to the plate for the second time in his big league experience. Bill Hoffer was doing the hurling for the Birds and he looked anxious for he didn't know anything about the newcomer, also the outfielders didn't know where to play for him. Borten smashed the first ball pitched and it looked good for two or more bases. A mighty shout arose from thousands of the Manhattan fans.

A red-headed played leaped into the air with seemingly not the slightest chance of ever touching the flying sphere. The cheering was turned into groans as Shortstop Jennings speared that ball, then tore in and touched second, completing a double play. He could have made a triple, lone handed, if it had been necessary, for all runners had scampered toward home.

For a few seconds silence came over the throng, for they were amazed and dazed by the suddenness and brilliancy of the play. Then the happy Orioles danced with joy. Hughie Jennings was the hero. The catch was recorded at the time as the greatest ever made by a shortstop.

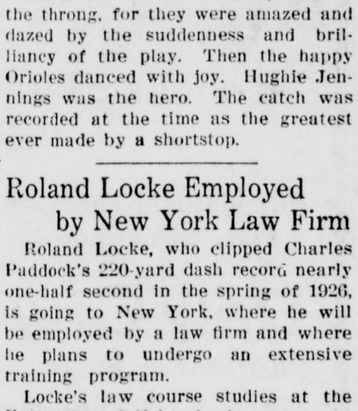
Roland Locke Employed by New York Law Firm

Roland Locke, who clipped Charles Paddock's 220-yard dash record nearly one-half second in the spring of 1926, is going to New York, where he will be employed by a law firm and where he plans to undergo an extensive training program.

Locke's law course studies at the University of Nebraska last year curtailed his cinder track work, but he did go to the Penn relays, where he won the 220-yard dash from Jackson Scholz and Henry Russell. He has done but little running since.

In New York Locke will devote his leisure hours to training and to competition on the indoor boardways. At the opening of the out-door season he will begin preparation for the Olympic games, he said.

Eddie Collins Ready



Pronouncing himself fit and ready to play ball, Eddie Collins, captain of the Philadelphia Athletics and one time super-second baseman, expressed the wish that he might run his total American League game to 3,000 before he quits the diamond. Collins is nearing his forty-first birthday and has played in 2,778 league games. He hopes to surpass Ty Cobb's mark of 2,938 before he retires.

New Dresses for The School Girl

By MAE MARTIN

Thousands of mothers with daughters of high school or college age, have problems like this Little Rock, Arkansas, mother. She says: "I don't believe I could have put my daughter through the last two years of high school and college without the help of Diamond Dyes. Dresses long out of style and faded were made new with a package or so of Diamond Dyes and the addition of a few dozen buttons and a little braid. Sometimes two dresses were combined and brought up to date in lines that gave no hint of their past. People never knew they were redyed when I used Diamond Dyes. They never take the life out of cloth or make it limp. They always make things fresh, crisp and bright."

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Women Oddly Employed

Substituting the trowel and mortar for the rolling pin and cookbook, forty-five women in Liverpool, England, are engaged in the trade of bricklaying and building, the Commerce department reports. The women are said to be as efficient at their unusual task as are the masculine bricklayers. Two other Liverpool women fish for a living, the report revealed.

Giving Pa a Chance

Street Orator (talking on the rights of a father)—There should be only one head in each family!

Voice—Yes, especially when there's only one set of headphones!—Stray Stories.

The mind makes the body rich.

Lizard Scares Foes by Display of Ruff

Out in Australia, the home of the kangaroo and a lot of other curious animals, there is a peculiar lizard, apparently impressed with the truth of the maxim that an enemy scared and chased away is an enemy less to fight today. And there's nothing like a good bluff, anyway—if it works, says the Baltimore Sun. To frighten its foes away this reptile has developed a most remarkable growth of skin on its neck, ordinarily hanging in loose folds but capable of being erected into a wide frill or ruff very like those of the days of Good Queen Bess, and it is colored red on the surfaces which show from the front when it is standing out around the head and neck.

As if all this was not enough the lizard also walks or runs on his hind feet, holding his forelegs up in the air. We may hazard a guess that he borrowed the system from the kangaroos, but if he did he forgot to lend them the ruff in return. Just how terrifying all this is to the natural enemies of the frilled lizard we are unable to say, but if we look at his picture in the books we must at least admit that it makes him appear sufficiently unattractive.

Program for Evening Formally Called Off

A well-known radio announcer was spending the night in the home of a friend. The host did not know that he was an accomplished snorer, and had given his guest the adjoining room, from which any sound was perfectly audible. They were just comfortably settled for the night when the announcer started "broadcasting." The entertainment was not favorably received, and the host was unable to sleep a wink and was contemplating some means for muffling the disturbing noises, when his guest stopped snoring abruptly and in a loud voice said:

"Ladies and gentlemen, the program to which you have been listening is being broadcast to you through the courtesy of Blank & Co.," and with this he shifted his position and they both spent the remainder of the night in sleep.

Teach Children to Save

For the benefit of Swedish school children without money in the bank, the postal savings authorities of Sweden will open 25,000 new accounts, depositing two crowns on each. Permission has been asked from the government to use $13,400 of the postal savings income for 1927 to defray the expenses. Sweden's private savings banks have made similar distributions of money for several years in order to teach the school children how to save.

Nothing Doing

Clarence Cobden, the successful advertisement illustrator, said at an advertising men's dinner in Denver:

"A rich young man came to me the other day and said defiantly:

"'I am going to open a high-class clothing store next month, Mr. Cobden, but I expect to run my business without advertising.'

"Well, I looked at him and laughed.

"'Young man,' I said, 'to run a business without advertising—well, that is just like winking at a girl in the dark.'"

Theory Not Practice

Wrestling Instructor (after strenuous first lesson)—Well, do you think you'll like the course?

Pupil—Yes, but I'll take the rest by correspondence.

No face is really homely when it is laughing at your joke.

A wise man is never less alone than when he is alone.—Swift.

Eggs Not Good

There is a certain elderly woman who makes very fine lemon pie. One day she was giving a dinner and, of course, made a pie for it. The weather was very warm and the whites of the eggs did not whip well for the meringue. When the pie was served, one of the guests complimented her very highly on it.

"Oh," she said, "it's not as good as usual. The eggs weren't good."

Mail Box Weighs Letter

An automatic letter box that weighs and stamps the missives is being tested in Leipzig, Germany, with prospects of its being a success. The boxes may be adopted for use throughout Germany. The sender drops his letter in the box and inserts coins to pay the portage. He then pulls a lever and an inked stamp inside prints on the envelope a mark showing that the postage has been paid.

Why Bill Sent Regrets

Mae—Bill can't come. He's in the hospital. Some one stepped on his pipe during the game.

Bell—I don't see how that would make him have to go to the hospital.

Mae—It was his windpipe.—Vancouver Province.

And Spoil It

Foozler—Oh, dear! Golf's a funny game, caddie.

Caddie—Mebbe. It all depends. Some folks'll make a joke of anything.—Humorist.

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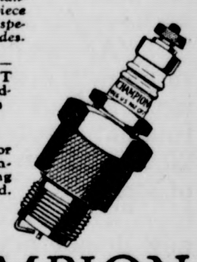

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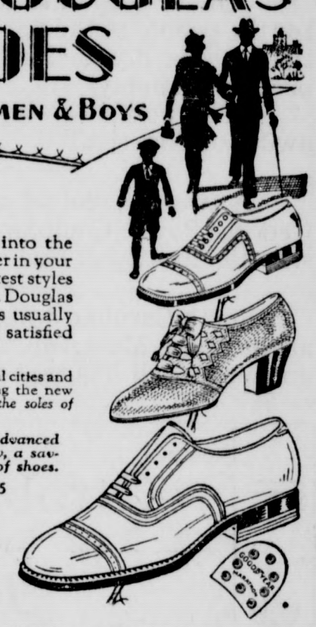

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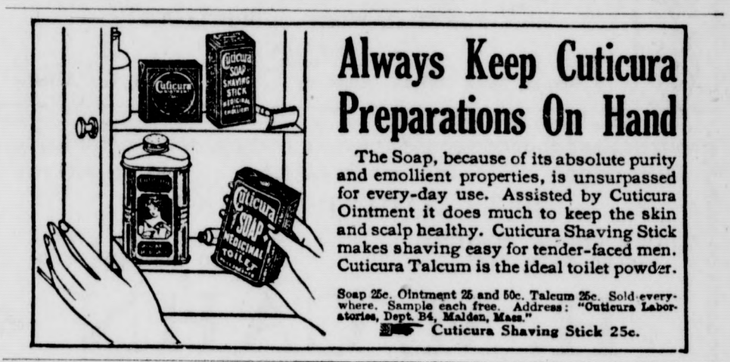

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SLAVERY STILL EXISTS

It is almost incredible that in this year of 1928 there should still be 5,000,000 or more human beings existing in abject slavery in various parts of the world. Yet such is the case, according to a report of a slavery commission organized under the auspices of the League of Nations.

Slavery is found, it is said, in nearly a score of countries, and is especially prevalent in Abyssinia, China, Hedjaz, Liberia and other African states. A traveler in Abyssinia has described "slavery, open, cruel and fiendish; gangs of slaves marching in misery, the men chained together in rows, and the women and children dragging themselves along beside the main body."

There is no doubt that similar conditions exist in many other countries, although in most of them slavery is officially forbidden. In some areas the condition of actual slavery is disguised under the form of contract labor and peonage or debt slavery, the latter also prevailing in some South American countries.

Some encouragement is seen, however, in the steps being taken by the League toward the abolishment of slavery, particularly by the British government, through whose efforts about 700,000 slaves have been liberated since the close of the war.

Now, as always, the suppression of "man's inhumanity to man" is one of civilization's major tasks.

POT AND KETTLE

Just now there is going up a terrible wail about lobbies at Washington, which would indicate that our Senators and Congressmen are being "influenced" against their will by designing persons who would mould them to their heart's desire.

This is a lot of bunk. In the first place, if a member of Congress has not sense enough or courage enough to form his own opinions and act upon them, he ought to resign and go home. Besides, there is no reason to condemn lobbyists for one class and commend lobbyists for another class. Every important group in the nation has its lobbyists in Washington.

The farmers have their lobby, so have the labor unions, the veterans, the prohibitionists, the blue law advocates, the various industries—in fact every conceivable class, either constantly or at intervals, is importuning Congress to do, or not to do, this or that.

As intimated above, if Congressmen are fit to be Congressmen, there is little harm in the long run in having representatives of various groups in Washington to present their views and give information respecting them.

There is little sincerity in lobbyists of one group denouncing lobbyists of an opposing group. It is a case of the pot calling the kettle black.

ADVANCE OF MEDICINE

Dr. Charles H. Mayo, world-renowned surgeon of Rochester, Minnesota, is quoted as saying that medical knowledge of the underlying causes of disease has advanced more during the past twenty-five years than in the preceding twenty-five centuries.

This is a strong statement, but if the doctor had gone back a few years farther to include the discoveries of Walter Reed and others in connection with infectious diseases, it might be accepted as literally true.

Recent advances in surgery have been even more remarkable than those in medicine, and have been tremendously aided by the X-ray, improved anesthetics and more effective means for the prevention of infection.

There are still many diseases which have so far baffled all efforts to control them, but in the light of the accomplishments of the recent past is is reasonable to expect that these, too, may ultimately yield to human science and skill.

A SINGER'S GIFT

In memory of her two sons who were killed in the World war, one fighting for America and the other for Germany, Madame Ernestine Schumann-Heink, world-famous singer, has given her $230,000 estate at Grossmont, California, to disabled veterans of the war as a rest home.

A native of Austria, Madame Schumann-Heink has spent most of her mature years in America as an operatic singer, and only recently retired. Two years ago she made her reappearance with the Metropolitan Opera Company at the age of 64. She was loyal to America during the war and became an American citizen.

No singer of her time has been more highly esteemed, not only for her consummate artistry, but also for her splendid character and charitable dispostion, which is so well illustrated by her recent magnificent gift.

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An English woman golfer has been barred from the game for claiming a lower score than she really made. Looks like discrimination on account of sex.

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Colma News Notes

Miss Marie Tealdi has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Garibaldi motored to Moss Beach last Sunday to spend the day.

Miss Myrtle Durbin spent last Sunday at Alum Rock, San Jose, with a party of friends.

Emilio Conci, Leslie Balestra and Albert Bertucci motored to Sonora and Sacramento over last week end to visit friends.

Max Schulze, who is employed at the Lagomarsino Electric Works, is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. A. Bandettini was a visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. Farmer, of Mission street, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Biggio entertained a group of their friends at their country home in Fairfax over last week end.

Mrs. Dave Johnston, of Mission street, and Mrs. J. Baccigalupi were guests on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. S. Fischer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lorenz and family of Mission street, and Mrs. B. Durbin and family, of Colma, motored to the Russian river last Sunday.

The Colma Community Center will hold its monthly whist party at the club house on Dunk street on this Saturday evening, May 5. Be sure and come. All are assured a good time.

Raymond Batz, son of Mrs. Beatrice Batz, bookkeeper at Belli's, is now filling a seven months contract in Idaho, where he is playing in the seven piece orchestra known as "The Californians."

"Wild Geese," a vivid production of the prize novel by Martha Ostenso, read by millions all over the civilized world, will be shown at the New Colma Theatre, Monday and Tuesday, May 7 and 8. Don't miss it.

The friends of Miss Dorothy Dennis are glad to hear that she returned to her home last Saturday from the St. Francis hospital, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis, and they hope for her speedy and complete recovery.

Both the Colma and Daly City firemen answered an alarm of fire last Wednesday at noon at the Royal Auto Camp, on Mission street. Some rubbish in back of the camp had caught fire. There was no great damage.

"Wild Geese," the story of a relentless and cruel husband and father who held his family in the iron grip of submission, has many notables in the cast of players, including Russell Simpson, Bille Bennett, Anita Stewart and Wessley Barry. The picture will be at the New Colma Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, May 7 and 8.

Mrs. E. A. Weisenberger met with an automobile accident last Tuesday evening while driving with her husband in Burlingame. She received very painful and quite serious injuries and is now in Mills Memorial hospital, San Mateo. Her many friends hope she will have a speedy recovery.

Mrs. L. Boetto and daughter, Mrs. Bandettini, motored to Menlo Park last Monday to visit friends.

Mrs. Harold Callan returned home last Thursday from Mills Memorial hospital with her little daughter.

Miss Ester Forsell will entertain the members of La Fiesta Club at her home on Los Olivos avenue this Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fisher motored to Palo Alto last Tuesday and spent the day visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Silva.

The members of La Fiesta Club enjoyed swimming at Sutro Baths last Wednesday envening, later going to Topsy's Roost for dinner.

Plans were completed last Wednesday evening for the Mother's Night to be held by El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughters of the Golden West, on Wednesday evening, May 16, at Masonic Hall, Daly City.

The drill team of El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughters of the Golden West, will give a whist party and dance in the Daly City Auditorium on Wednesday, May 9. Miss Callista Dalton will be in charge of the game.

Miss Irene Massoletti and Mr. Richard Pighetti will be married in San Francisco on Sunday. Mr. Pighetti is employed in Colma at the Ethel American Gasoline Co., and both bride and groom have many friends here who wish them much happiness.

A chapter of the history of Montana before the Civil war provided the inspiration for "The Red Raiders," the new film attraction starring Ken Maynard and playing at the New Colma Theatre on Saturday, May 5. The drama concerns the invasion of this territory by white settlers and the incidents preceding establishment of the first government reservation.

Gloria Swanson invites you to see her first independent film produced by herself. It is a drama of a girl on life's crossroads. Fame, money, duty and love point their path for her to choose. In "The Love of Sunya," Miss Swanson plays five different parts, each acclaimed an achievement of beauty, artistry and power. The New Colma Theatre will show this production on Thursday and Friday, May 10 and 11.

PRESENT SPLENDID RECITAL

Miss Lillian Collier's pupils held a very delightful recital at the Community Center hall in Colma last Saturday evening. Much credit is due Miss Collier for the excellent showing of her pupils, who did so well after taking lessons for so short a time. The hall was prettily decorated through the kindness of little Miss Norma Bertetta, Bertucci Nursery, and Miss Genevieve Johnson. Through the courtesy of Sherman, Clay & Co., a piano was furnished. Miss Margaret Pauline Brown opened and closed the program in her very pleasing way with a few remarks that pleased the children as well as the grownups.

Several of Miss Collier's friends assisted in her in making the program so very enjoyable. Miss Stella Cannegeiter, violinist, accompanied at the piano by Mr. Henry, delighted the guests with three numbers. Mrs. J. Green sang the "Desert Song," which is so popular just now. Misses Marie Kahle, Bruena Martinni and Dorothy Fahy sang "Aloha Land," and Miss Bruena Martinni sang "O Sole Mio," in Italian.

After the recital, all enjoyed dancing to music furnished by Mr. C. Blacker, of Palo Alto, saxophone, Mrs. J. Greene, piano, and Miss Stella Cannegeiter, violin.

A GOOD MAN HASN'T A CHANCE

" A good man hasn't a chance in this organization."

This remark almost invariably stamps the speaker as not being in the classification he is talking about.

Most mediocre men have false notions that they are good men being discriminated against. They need to substitute a program of personal study and improvement for their lifelong practice of shifting blame.

Too many men just think they are good while their performance would not give the least indication of such being the case.

They may be able to convince their wife that a good man hasn't a chance with that firm, but woman's intuition may cause her to suspect that the difficulty lies not with the firm. She will give him scant sympathy, if she is wise.

We have to know what's the matter with us, not how good we are, in order to progress. Out and out failure is a good teacher for many men. It is only the man without stamina who is discouraged by it that failure injures. Red ink has improved many corporations.

The man bubbling over with self-confidence just knows he is good and tells the whole world—but the world is likely to be disbelieving. A little red ink experience is good fire for their soul.

Thinking one is good may salve the conscience, but it will not produce results—except possibly an ingrowing satisfaction which thwarts growth.—Forbes Magazine.

RISE OF A BELL-HOP

Another striking illustration of what industry and thrift may accomplish, even under the handicap of meagre education is seen in the career of Ellsworth M. Statler, millionaire hotel owner, who died in New York a few days ago.

Born a poor farm boy in Somerset county, Pennsylvania, he had little formal schooling, being forced to go to work when a mere child. Yet he became one of the most able and forceful public speakers in the country. He often recalled that his first lessons in English were given him by Tom Duffy, bartender in the McClure House in Wheeling, where young Statler first became connected with the hotel business as a bell-boy at a salary of six dollars a month.

He was 33 when he opened his first restaurant under his own name in Buffalo. His first management of an enterprise of magnitude came at the age of 38, when he built and conducted a large hotel at the Buffalo Pan-American exposition in 1901, followed by his management of the famous Inside Inn at the St Louis world's fair in 1904.

He then began to build up a chain of magnificent hotels in various cities, including the great Hotel Pennsylvania in New York, where he died.

Mr. Statler's rise was not due to good luck, although his business ventures were more than usually successful. It was due to the fact that he had learn d the hotel business from the ground up, and was untiring in his efforts to please his guests. He was known as the most polite bellboy, and when he became a magnate he had still retained the habit of politeness and his outstanding trait was consideration for the comfort and happiness of others.

Some of the crack express trains of this country are connected with the nation-wide telephone system up to the last minute before the train pulls out of the station.

Harry F. Sinclair was given a char acter testimonial by Finley Peter Dunne. And Mr. Dunne, you know, is a famous humorist.

As usual during leap year, the Republicans are pointing with pride and the Democrats are viewing with alarm.

Some campaign contributors get shaken up after being shaken down.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 4483.

Estate of Johana Wollab, also known as Johanna Wollab, also known as Johana Wolleb, also known as Johana Zgraggen, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Johana Wollab, alias, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the law offices of A. J. Scampini, in the Olcese Building, Colma, San Mateo County, California, which said last named office the undersigned hereby selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Johana Wollab, alias, deceased.

ANGELO MICHELETTI,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased.

Dated: Colma, California, May 2, 1928.

Pardini, Scampini & H. Albert George, Attorneys for Executor, 21 Columbus Avenue, San Francisco.

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CERTIFICATE OF INDIVIDUAL DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME.

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That I am transacting business in the State of California under the fictitious name and style of San Francisco Fruit Market, and that I am the sole owner and proprietor of said business; that the principal place of business is Lomita Park, in San Mateo County, State of California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 11th day of April, 1928.

ANDREW G. PORTIAS.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, City and County of San Francisco. } ss.

On this 11th day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, before me, Minerva N. Swain, a Notary Public in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, personally appeared Andrew G. Portias, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in the City and County of San Francisco, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL.)

MINERVA N. SWAIN,
Notary Public in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

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FILED in the office of the County Clerk of San Mateo County, California, April 13, 1928.

ELIZABETH M. KNEESE,
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By E. F. Cerqui, Deputy Clerk.

A. E. Schofield, Attorney at Law, Chancery Building, San Francisco, California.

April 20, 27; May 4, 11, 18, 1928.

"EXCESS BAGGAGE" COMING TO THE GEARY THEATRE

Monday night, May 7, will bring "Excess Baggage" to the Geary Theatre, San Francisco. This play by John McGowan, being produced under the management of Arthur Smith, is running currently in Chicago, New York and London, and everywhere presented has proved the biggest kind of hit. The company Mr. Smith is sending to San Francisco is a large one and contains many promising names. In the cast are George B. Tripp, Marcia Manning, Harland Tucker, Mabel Forrest, Cecil Bruner, Pauline French, Kaye Rogers, W. Jules Garirson, Herbert Evans, Claude Saunders, George Harris, Frank Staples and Roger La Fant.

"Excess Baggage" is in three acts and tells a colorful story about back stage people, the particular pair being a tight rope walker and his wife, who has little more than a thinking part in the act and therefore comes under the classification of "Excess Baggage." As a culminating feature of the performance there is the sensational "slide for life" in which a performer walks a tight rope over the heads of the audience. This is one of the most sensational and electrifying feats ever attempted in a legitimate theatre. During the engagement of "Excess Baggage" at the Geary matinees will be given on Wednesday and Saturday and there will also be Sunday evening performances.

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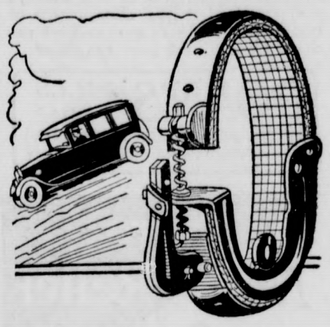

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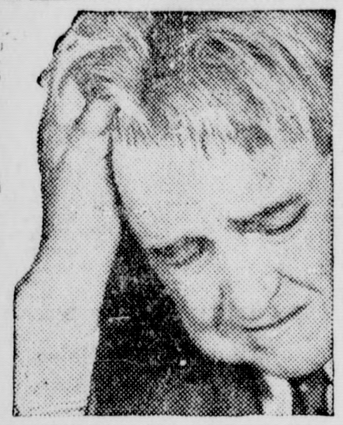

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CHAPTER I

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The Purser Who Interested Himself in Crime.

That windy night only one passenger put out from Dover in the little wave-buffeted tender to add his name to the many bound for New York in the waiting liner.

As he climbed the swaying ladder to the Brabant's deck, Anthony Trent was glad of this absence of scrutiny. More that three years absent from his native land, he was again about to place himself under her jurisdiction. He was conscious that after a long period of freedom from fear there was again an aura of uneasiness enwrapping him. If there were those on board the Brabant waiting to arrest him they could choose their time. She was not a fast boat and there would be many days and nights to pass ere the highlands of Navesink came in sight.

Now that the tender had whistled her farewell and was on her way, no escape was possible. For six days he would be as carefully imprisoned as though the walls of an impregnable jail rose around him.

The chief steward was summoned early to Trent's stateroom.

"I want my meals served here," Trent said "and I want to see the passenger list in case any of my friends are aboard."

There was not a name on the passenger list which awakened old memories. And there was not a man among the ship's officers he remembered. Apparently Anthony Trent, once known as the master criminal, had come as a stranger aboard a strange ship. The thought was curiously comforting. In a week he would be looking over the treetops of Central park after an absence of four years.

Four years! It was as a soldier he had left America. What vivid years they had been since the Leviathan pulled out of her Hoboken dock and took him and thousands more to France. He had fought. He had been decorated for valor in the field. He had put the old life, outside the law, behind him. And then when the war was over he had gone to England; he had found happiness there, and then one black day he had lost it. It was a man no longer in love with life who journeyed back to his native land and desired solitude.

When the passengers observed Anthony Trent and were not able to recognize him in the dining-saloon there were many questions asked about him. The overtures that were made were all courteously rejected. It was plain he walked the decks for exercise, not companionship. At thirty-four Trent was a presentable figure of a man. He carried himself uncommonly well, but there was little of the drawing-room exquisite in his slender figure. The trainer of athletes would have seen in his straight and spare figure one of those slender men whose muscles were wire strung, whose nerves were perfectly attuned to uncommon effort, and whose physical courage was high.

On the second evening out came the first disagreeable incident of the voyage. Trent was sitting in a chair before his open door puffing at a big briar pipe. He looked up as an officer passed. It was the purser, whom he had not hitherto noticed, and as there was about the purser's manner an indication that he desired to chat, Trent seized the moment when the officer spoke for a moment to a passing sailor, to shut his door.

A little later there was a tap on the panel. Trent knew it was the purser.

"Come in," he shouted.

The purser was a man of middle age and of middle stature. He had a shrewd, quizzical face, humorous and strong; and there was a touch of the bulldog in his chin.

"I was almost sure I smelled Hankey," he said, smiling as he looked at the red-labeled tin on the table, "and my heart warms toward those who know that mixture. I hope you don't think I'm taking a liberty?"

"Glad to see you," Trent said, and truthfully, "sit down and fill up."

His manner was thoroughly amiable. It was as though a lonely man welcomed the prospect of a chat with another. In truth, Anthony Trent was disquieted. He could not feel sure that the purser had followed a trail of Hankey's mixture all over the ship and run it to ground as he was explaining. But the odds were that there was nothing to be alarmed about. If the officer had any unstated reason Trent wanted to know as soon as possible.

"Comfortable here, I trust?" asked the purser.

"Couldn't be more so. I usually travel on the big boats for the reason one assumes they are more comfortable, but I've evidently been wrong."

"This trip is a sort of holiday for me," the purser said. "I've been on the big ones for twenty years and I'd gone stale. A great school for studying life," the purser mused, "a ship is. Even a comparatively small one like this, which is only 12,500 tonnage, is fuller of strange people than a city with ten times its population. But perhaps these things don't interest you?"

"What sort of things?"

"Crime in general. Crime has always interested me," the purser went on genially, "and I've seen a lot of it. I suppose a man like me sees as much of clever crookdom as a detective. I'll have some more tobacco if I may."

"Help yourself," Trent said cordially. He seemed unperturbed. "I'm interested in crime only if the crime or criminal is unusual."

"The trouble with a purser's life is that he often sees just a chapter of crime," mused his caller.

Trent puffed steadily at his pipe. Although he was convinced that this talk of crime was but a pretext and the purser's visit made for some purpose unknown, there was no tell-tale twitch of any facial muscle to betray his uneasiness. For the first time for more than two years he felt he was in danger, and, as always, he called forth his reserve of strength and waited the outcome unflinching.

The purser went on: "Sometimes the chapters that open so promisingly turn out most disappointing. Once in Liverpool. It was on the Poitania. Just as we were starting a young man jumped overboard."

"Was he drowned?"

"No. He jumped onto the landing stage unhurt. That was a curious case, Mr. Trent. He had engaged one of the best staterooms aboard. It was filled with his baggage, and he had even selected his seat at the table and tipped his stewards. Of course

Trent Puffed Steadily at His Pipe.

he may have done that to give strength to the theory that his action was unpremeditated. A clever crook would think of such things. But I wirelessed to the office and found out that he had satisfied them. He had either seen the face, or heard the voice of a long-lost relative and jumped down twelve feet to make sure of it. Some said the man was a crook who saw a detective he feared, and jumped overboard to escape him. Others that he had heard the voice of the wife he had deserted. I said to myself that some day I should get all the information I needed, and see the last episode of that serial." The purser leaned forward and tapped Trent's knee. "Mr. Trent, just why did you risk a broken leg that evening in Liverpool?"

It was characteristic of Trent that he was ready to face danger when he saw it. At all costs he must not evade it now. The purser, who was a resolute and educated man, was possessed of some knowledge he had not yet told Trent, which had directly to do with his safety. His smile had no anxiety in it. What the purser told him seemed to be of no special interest.

"I have almost forgotten the incident," he remarked. "It was three years ago almost."

"Less," said the purser, "a good bit less."

"Maybe you are right," Trent conceded, "and in any case you seem to recall it to mind more readily than I."

The purser sighed a little. It seemed almost as though he were disappointed. And, oddly enough, the keen searching look gave place to one of kindliness.

"Mr. Trent," he said earnestly, "I hoped you would have threatened to kick me out of your stateroom. A man who had nothing to fear would have done that. You may or may not believe me, but I wish you had been such a man. I wish you had asked me angrily what the devil your business had to do with me. Instead you have not shown any anger at all. Mr. Trent, that is the action of a man who is afraid."

Trent still preserved his air of ease. But he was wondering how it was the official had come so close to the truth. He would have given a great deal to have been able to betray genuine anger. And he did not understand why the purser seemed to be sorry for his plight.

As in other days, the atmosphere of danger was about him. And he was in that inescapable thing, a ship crossing the Atlantic.

"You have not yet told me all you know."

"I know about Captain Sutton," said the purser gravely.

Trent's action in stooping to strike a match on his shoe's heel was to gain a momentary respite. He did not know quite what his face revealed to the observer. Captain Sutton was the only man alive—so far as he knew—who had definite knowledge that Anthony Trent had won the title "master criminal" by a series of crimes so unique and skillful that he had never been in the toils of justice. Two other men had known—Austin the butler, whose grave was marked by one of a row of white crosses in France, and Devlin, the detective, who had closed his lips as death approached, and left Trent secure.

"Captain Sutton," he echoed. "Are you talking of my old adjutant?"

"I am talking of the Capt. Frank Sutton whom you saw on the Poitania, and jumped overboard to escape."

Trent was silent for a moment. He knew Sutton was proud of him for the mention in dispatches and the Croix de Guerre he had won to the honor of the regiment. Sutton had promised him that he would say nothing. Why, then, this talk of the former adjutant? He turned to his visitor.

"I don't yet know your name," he said.

"Warne," said the purser, "Brunton Warne."

"Then listen to me a moment, Mr. Warne. When I tell you I did not know Captain Sutton was aboard I am speaking the truth. If I had known he was a passenger I should have been delighted to see him. Springing overboard was one of the most unpremeditated things I ever did. I heard underneath me the voice of a man who saved my life. That I swear on my honor."

"Explain why Sutton jumped to your rescue so ardently when your motives were attacked in the smoking-room. I don't mind telling you we all thought you a crook, and said so. Captain Sutton constituted himself your counsel, and actually smacked Colliver, the Troy millionaire, across the mouth because he continued to dwell on the subject."

"Dear old Sutton," Anthony Trent said gratefully. "He has been a good friend to me. Some day I hope I shall be able to repay him."

"When the Poitania reached quarantine, Captain Sutton, your friend, was arrested. He is now in Sing Sing prison. Embezzlement and attempted murder were the charges."

Trent was stricken dumb. Sutton had never been an intimate friend. Rather he recalled him as a benefactor. He had know him as a wealthy man of vast interests secured by position and fortune from the temptations incidental to poverty. To learn he was found guilty of embezzlement and murder, or attempted murder, came as a shock, a blow of tremendously devitalizing power.

"I see your point of view," Trent said presently. "Are you working against me?"

"Not for a moment," Warne answered. "If there's one thing that would please me, it would be to find I've been barking up a wrong tree."

Anthony Trent was now superbly at ease.

"My dear Mr. Warne," he said urbanely, "you have been barking up a wrong tree this time, although no doubt as a rule you don't waste your efforts. It amounts to this. You think my knowledge of the embezzler, Captain Sutton, suspicious. Is that all?"

"Well, there was your method of leaving the Poitania," the other man said, almost apologetically.

"Apart from that there is nothing else?"

"Absolutely none." The purser's air was quite apologetic.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Persian City Leads in Production of Henna

An important industry of Yezd, Persia, is the manufacture of henna. This product is used to wash and color the hair and to stain the finger nails red—yes, many people here have red finger nails. I saw colored lambs, and several horses whose manes and fetlocks were dyed fox red with henna.

Henna leaves come from the south, principally from the Bam district, and Yezd supplies all Persia and the surrounding countries with this dye. The 30 or more henna mills in the city are so completely inclosed that it is difficult to see what goes on within.

In the late evening a camel, covered with henna dust, operates the pair, plodding in a circle in the half darkness. A small round basket covers his eyes to prevent him from getting dizzy. One receives an impression of unreality, of something brought from another world.

The mill is very primitive, standing about six feet high, while the millstone and the circular path around it are sunken. Everything is covered with henna dust. From time to time a little boy shovels the powder into heavy jugs.—Bernhard Kellermann in Berliner Tageblatt (Living Age).

Looks Good Anywhere

Another pretty sight under the moon is a big New England mill with a thousand windows, all lighted from within.—Boston Herald.

CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

I. Zellerbach, president of the California Fish and Game Commission, will present California's problems and accomplishments in conservation of outdoor life at the annual convention of the Izaak Walton League of America in Omaha April 20, it has been announced at Sacramento by Jacob M. Dickinson, president of the organization.

Either Californians are drinking more intoxicating liquor than at any time since prohibition or the quality of "speak easy" beverages is constantly getting poorer. Whichever it is, 190 California residents died of acute alcoholism during the last year, according to reports thus far received by the department of public health, as compared with only 37 in 1920, the first year of prohibition. And the bootleggers' death toll from 1920 to 1927, inclusive is 1006.

The state railroad commission last week refused to reconsider its recent action in fixing the local rates of the Pacific Electric Company in Los Angeles. The city had asked for a rehearing of the commission's actions. The commission also denied the railway company's petition for a rehearing of its application for an increase of from 5 to 7 cents in its local fares. As a result of the commission's action the new rates went into effect April 27th. Denial of the city's petition removes the last obstacle.

Dates and itinerary of the thirty-ninth annual excursion of the California Press Association were announced a few days ago by Friend W. Richardson, president, and Oran A. King, secretary. The jaunt this year will indulge in visits to Crater Lake, Rogue River Valley and Klamath Falls, Oregon. The excursionists will leave San Francisco Sunday, June 24, in special Pullmans, on the Southern Pacific.

Now that the rainy season is nearly over in California and the season of the forest fire is about to begin the National Automobile Club has sent out a warning to its more than 511,800 members that care must be taken to prevent fires when entering any of the United States forests in the state. In a bulletin issued by the club it is pointed out that most of the forest fires in the state are caused by either the careless camper or the equally careless smoker. The club members are cautioned to remember that heavy penalties are imposed by the courts for infractions of rules governing camping and motoring in the national forests.

Within the next few weeks California will be in the midst of her greatest road-building era. In addition to several hundreds of thousands of dollars of work which is now actually under contract, other highway projects to cost $5,470,1100 are now being prepared for competitive bidding or will soon be let. Contracts for $11,349,000 in work are now pending. Bids upon these projects have been opened and contract awards are expected to be made within the next few days. In addition, work now advertised stands in the amount of $972,100. Plans and specifications have been prepared upon $442,000 in other work and will be ready for contractors' bids within the next couple of weeks.

California's "hesitation" marriage law is a thorn in the side of both Cupid and the county treasuers. Drawing this conclusion about the statute, Assemblyman A. J. Murphy, represnting Del Norte and Siskiyou counties, declared last week that he will work for its repeal in the legislature this winter. "The three day wait before issuance of a marriage license is reducing the number of marriages all over California," Murphy asserted. "Couples are eloping to adjoining states to be married and California county governments are losing the license fees. With Oregon only a few miles away, this is particularly true of our northern cities."

An increase of $39,019,903 in the bonded indebtedness of California and its cities and counties during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1927, was reported last week by State Controller Ray L. Riley. The total indebtedness of the three governmental divisions was $711,186,104.09, compared with $672,166,200.22 the preceding year. More than $20,000,000 of the increase was recorded by cities, $14,171,010 by the counties and only $4,458,000 by the state. The city bonded debt total last year stood at $$329,844,041.04, as against $309,453,146.14 the preceding year. The county total was $276,533,563, as compared with $262,362,553 a year earlier, while the state total jumped from $100,350,500 to $104,808,500. Receipts from taxes increased 342, per cent during the period since 1911, with receipts from licenses increasing only 92 per cent.

Ten thousand dollars and no place to spend it—a patent shaving set and no reason for a shave. Such is the fix of a California convict now working in a highway camp on the Weaverville lateral. The money is said to have been paid over to the State Prison Board for safe-keeping—to see that the convict doesn't spend it foolishly—and out in the big world machines are turning out his invention. It is said to be a patent brush which will overcome the difficulties of a dull razor blade and enable a man with a stiff beard to get to the office on time in the morning.

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SIDELIGHTS

Mr. Bull Montana, mighty wrestler and all-around he-man of the movies, is under a black cloud of humiliation, with a black eye, a bursted nose, and other disfeaturements of his never too handsome face. His humiliation is accentuated by the fact that it was caused by his frail wife, who worked on him with the heel end of her slipper until he called frantically for help.

Mrs. Helen Dolder, of DeKalb county, Illinois, after serving the unexpired term of her dead husband, was elected sheriff over three men opponents. She maintains excellent discipline among her prisoners. Once when they mutinied and refused to eat, she had a fire hose turned on them until their appetites returned.

No community is so poor that it may not have an outstanding product of which to boast. One citizen voiced his local pride recently, according to the Columbus, Miss., Commercial-Dispatch, by praising the moonshine liquor made in his neighborhood, declaring that it was good stuff, with "not a coffin in a carload."

One reason why men leave home is set forth by a resident of Saugerties, N. Y., who advertises in the Post of that town: "This is to certify that I was told that I had to leave my bed and board, which was followed by a ham-bone which caught me on the right ear; furthermone I'll not be responsible for any bill that my wife Lillian contracts."

Colonel Lindbergh is generally photographed bareheaded, unless he happens to have an aviator's helmet securely anchored to his head. It is said the reason is that he seldom possesses a hat. The moment he lays one down a souvenir hunter steals it. Even his linen has to be sent to the laundry under an assumed name if it is ever to come back.

Bogus stock and bond swindlers are due to have rough sailing in Canada, has been launched, particularly in the ha sbeen launched, particularly in the provinces of Quebec and Ontario. As a starter, seven of these "blue sky" artists were given terms in the penitentiary.

Rev. Ellsworth Craig resigned from his pastorate at Hull, England, to go into business, saying that this step was necessary "in order to make enough money to live."

ABOUT WOMEN

Miss Dorothy Walsh, of Vancouver, a graduate of the University of British Columbia, has won a $1,000 European scholarship at Philadelphia.

Miss Margaret Watson, of Washington, was recently married to Prince Charles Philippe, a nephew of King Albert of Belgium.

Mrs. Minnie Jackson, of Guthrie, Oklahoma, began selling home-made lingerie six years ago, and now at the age of 71 has a flourishing factory for which she is the traveling salesman.

Miss Kathleen Kersting, of Wichita, Kansas, whose musical education was financed by the Wichita Rotary Club, has made a highly successful debut in Italy at the age of 19.

Mrs. Olive E. Frank, of Buffalo, N. Y., who began as a stenographer for an engineering firm twelve years ago, now is president of a corporation of her own, manufacturing engines and condensers.

Miss Sue Hill, of Piedmont, Cal., made a trip across the continent by airplane, from her home to New Jersey, in thirty-four hours. It took her grandfather three months to cover the same distance from east to west in 1849.

BOYS AND GIRLS

Stewart Davis, boy amateur radio operator of Manchester, N. H., is said to have been the first person in the United States to catch the Canadian radio message giving news of the landing of the German trans-Atlantic plane Bremen on Greenly Island.

Marie Antrim, of Spivey, Kansas, national health champion of girls' clubs, advises those who would be healthy not to eat too much.

Billie Hill, 7-year-old violinist of Los Angeles, has been acclaimed by the celebrated Zimbalist as the "coming genius of the violin."

Julia, Bobby and Tommy Taylor, triplets born on a farm near Mather, Man., in 1920, have maintained almost perefect health scores since birth.

Florence Booth, aged 12, and her brother Jack, aged 10, of Cleveland, earned money for an airplane flight by scrubbing floors and running errands.

Edwin Lesher, 3-year-old Philadelphia boy, was severely shocked when he stuck his tongue into the empty socket of an electric fixture.

The Senate committee has to drill down six or eight thousand feet to get anything at all out of an oil man. And it hasn't struck a gusher yet.

INTERESTING NOTES

Chauncy J. Stevens, of Montour, Iowa, now 94, believes he is the oldest mayor in the United States.

Cardinal Rouleau, who received his red hat a few weeks ago, is Canada's third cardinal of the Roman Catholic church and the only living one.

In a cafe in Paris is displayed a sign which reads: "Ladies must not smoke pipes."

Muskrat farming is becoming an important industry in Maine.

Eleven radio broadcasting stations are operated by the Canadian National Railways.

An American company has contracts for electrifying about forty-five miles of street railway in Brazil.

Menus of a certain Boston restaurant are planned according to the weather forecast.

During the past year about ninety million rabbits were killed in Australia, where the animals are very destructive to crops.

An ancient underground city, about two square miles in extent, believed to date from the old stone age, has been discovered near Moscow.

Gambling is said to be more prevalent among Chinese than among any other people.

The constitution of Mexico prohibits night work by women and children.

The Prussian state library in Berlin, containing more than 3,000,000 volumes, is said to be the largest in the world.

Except Prince Edward Island, gold has been found in every province of Canada.

The British commonwealth of nations covers about one-fourth of the hibitable area of the world.

In parts of Mexico large harmless snakes of the python type are kept to catch mice, as we keep house cats.

It is estimated that no fewer than 2,000 Canadian couples were divorced at home or abroad last year.

Polygamy is now prohibited in Albania for the first time in history.

A hot house in Yellowstone Park, heated by a nearby geyser, furnishes vegetables and flowers throughout the year.

Old age pensions for savants, artists and writers are being advocated in Paris.

Harold Lloyd is said to have the largest income of any motion picture star, estimated at more than $30,000 a week.

Dr. Maxime Brisebois of Montreal is the first Canadian to win the title of laureate of the faculty of medicine in Paris for his contributions to medical science.

It is estimated that there are no less than 2,000,000 girls in the United States named Mary.

Snow removal from New York streets costs about $3,000,000 each winter.

The King of Afghanistan runs a tourist hotel as a side line.

London has 24 museums and 10 art galleries.

Mexico is taking steps to abolish factory work for young children and to curtail long hours in other pursuits.

After being deaf 15 years, a California man's hearing was restored by removing a tooth which had grown in his ear.

President William Henry Harrison, 68 years old, was the oldest of any United States President when taking office.

The first Sunday school was established in 1780 by Robert Raikes of Gloucester, England.

Honolulu has a unique American Legion Post, composed entirely of Chinese veterans of the World war. Its name is Kau-Tom, and William Sling Chong Pung is commander.

Five times as many men as women work in offices, factories and farms of Canada.

Recent soundings show that the greatest depth recorded in Lake Superior is 1,180 feet.

According to the data from the domestic relations court records, less domestic difficulties occur when the groom marries at 29 and the bride is 24.

The Dead Sea is the lowest spot on the world's surface, lying 1,300 feet below sea level.

As a means of decreasing traffic accidents the dumb in Constantinople must wear red ribbons around their hats. The blind are distinguished by white ribbons and the deaf by yellow ribbons.

Astronomers have observed that when a comet's head transits the sun, it becomes invisible, showing that it is not a single solid body of matter.

Rev. W. G. Ure, aged 76, of Willingham, England, is learning to dance because he "wants to keep young."

Mrs. Bridget Sullivan, aged 105, of St. Paul, spends most of her time making dresses for her granddaughters.

CHILD WELFARE WORKERS TO MEET IN DENVER

As a part of the national child welfare program of the American Legion, representatives of the California units of the World war veterans' organization have been invited to meet at Denver to discuss with Legionnaires from Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington and Wyoming, problems affecting the orphans of World war veterans.

The conference, according to State Commander Phil Dodson of the American Legion, is a part of the child welfare program of the Legion which is seeking improved legislation and the application of existing legislation for the benefit of orphaned or neglected children in the various states.

WHAT HE WAS THERE FOR

A small boy had fallen into a creek and a kind old lady had stopped until he was rescued and safely on the bank.

"Dear me, how did you come to fall in?" she exclaimed.

"I didn't come to fall in," he explained, "I came to fish."

WOULD EDUCATE HIM

"I can't marry him, mother. He's an atheist, and doesn't believe there's a hell."

"Marry him, my dear, and between us we'll convince him that he is wrong."

If ignorance is bliss, then the happiest man in the world is an oil magnate on the Senate committee's witness stand.

Somehow we can't help feeling a little less enthusiastic over celebrites whose pictures adorn cigarette ads and the like.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF AUTOMOBILE TO SATISFY LIEN.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1928, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the premises known as the New San Francisco Auto Camp, situate at 6945 Mission Street, Colma, California, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, in lawful money of the United States of America, the hereinafter described automobile to satisfy a lien of the undersigned. The description of said automobile, together with the amount for which said lien is claimed on said automobile, is as follows, to-wit:

Dodge Truck, engine Number 626452, registered owner J. W. Williams, 26 North Spring Street, St. Louis, Missouri. The amount due, $56.00.

Said auction and sale will be made under and by virtue of the provisions of Sections 3051 and 3052 of the Civil Code of the State of California, and for the purpose of satisfying the lien of the undersigned on said automobile in the said sum of $56.00, said lien being for services rendered by the undersigned for the owner above named, in caring for and safeguarding and safe keeping the said automobile.

Dated: Colma, San Mateo County, California, April 26, 1928.

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4-27—5-4

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the electors of Jefferson Union High School District, San Mateo County, California, that an election will be held on Friday, the 11th day of May, 1928, in said district, at which will be submitted the question of voting a district tax to raise the sum of $25,000, for the purpose of furnishing additional school facilities for the district, and for the purpose of conducting said election, the said Jefferson Union High School District will be divided into three precincts, as follows:

Precinct Number 1 shall comprise all that portion of said Jefferson Union High School District situated within the exterior boundaries of Visitacion Elementary School District, and at said Precinct Number 1 said election shall be held at the Visitacion Elementary School House situated in said school district, and the following named three qualified electors of said precinct shall act and they are hereby appointed to act as officers to conduct said election, to-wit: Mrs. S. C. Klauber, as Inspector, and Mrs. L. Fischer and Mrs. C. Wandstedt as Judges.

Precinct Number 2 shall comprise all that portion of said Jefferson Union High School District situated within the exterior boundaries of Jefferson Elementary School District, and at said Precinct Number 2 said election shall be held at the Jefferson Union High School, situated at 6996 Mission Street, Daly City, and the following named three qualified electors of said precinct shall act and they are hereby appointed to act as officers to conduct said election, to-wit: Claude Hackley as Inspector, and Arthur Hoar and H. Kollenbaum as Judges.

That Precinct Number 3 shall comprise all that portion of said Jefferson Union High School District which constitutes the San Pedro Elementary School District and Rockaway Elementary School District, and in said Precinct Number 3 said election shall be held at San Pedro Elementary School House, situated at Salada Beach, and the following named three qualified electors of said precinct shall act and they are hereby appointed to act as officers to conduct said election, to-wit: Mrs. A. J. Wallace as Inspector, and Mrs. Mary J. Hutley and H. W. Gray as Judges.

That the polls at said election shall be kept open from 1 o'clock P. M. until 8 o'clock P. M., and that the ballots shall contain the words "Tax—Yes" and "Tax—No."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 17th day of April, 1928.

(Signed.)
ADOLPH GEHRINGER.
LEWIS W. STARK.
LILLAH W. BROWN.
TRUMAN BENTLEY.
STELLA L. JENSEN.

As and constituting a majority of the Board of Trustees of the Jefferson Union High School District, San Mateo County, California.

4-20—5-11

SHE WON'T LIKE IT

Old Silas, who had lived many, many miles from his nearest neighbor all of his life and knew very little about the city ways, had at last decided to make the break and go. He felt, however, very rueful about leaving his wife, but no persuasion could make her go, so on leaving her he said: "Anyway, Mom, what should I bring for yeu?"

"Well, Silas, if you want to bring something for me, and it's not too much bother, I wish you'd bring me a little of that traffic jam we seem to read so much about lately in the papers."

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NEWS NOTES OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bruns, of 573 Bellevue avenue, have been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. A. Parmisano, of Irvington street, entertained the ladies of the "Joker Club" at her home last Wednesday.

San Parmisano, of Mission street, left Tuesday evening by motor for Arizona, where he will spend a month at the Springs.

Mrs. Thomas Themis, with her infant son, was a guest at luncheon on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Clif Pettigrew, of Hillcrest Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Reiman and daughter Jane Frances, of Alexander street, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. Reiman's borther in Oakland.

Dr. W. G. Beattie, formerly of Colma, and Herbert Shower, Jr., of Tracy, were visitors on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Langley, of Irvington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Shaw, of Shakespeare street, Miss Gladys Bizzio and Mr. Fred Gordon spent last Saturday evening visiting at the beautiful home in Los Gatos of Mr. A. Orten.

There will be a double feature bill at the State Theatre this Saturday, May 5, including Francis X. Bushman and Anna Q. Nilsson in "The Thirteenth Juror," and an All-Star cast in "The Last Waltz."

Mrs. R. Foppiano, of Evergreen avenue, enterained a group of friends and relatives at luncheon on Thursday of last week, having is her guests Mrs. E. Domenchi, Mrs. E. Brown, Mrs. A. Brown and son, Mrs. R. Quinn and daughter Edith, and Mrs. F. Sibilia and daughter Gloria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Reardon, of Hanover street, have started building a pretty new home on Rice street.

The usual Sunday services will be held at Grace Presbyterian church on May 6 at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Two pictures will be presented at the State Theatre Sunday, Buck Jones in "Hills of Peril," and Ben Lyon in "High Hat."

Mrs. C. Lorentzen, of Templeton avenue, was a luncheon guest last Thursday at the home of her brother, Anker Miller, of Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Nelson and daughter Cecelia, of Vendome avenue, and Mrs. Clif Pettigrew attended the Swiss picnic held at Lovchen Gardens last Sunday.

The Veteran Fireman's Association of Daly City will hold a picnic on May 27 at Stevens Creek. Larry Shaw has already arranged for the park for the firemen for that day.

Mrs. J. Reardon and little daughter, of Hanover street, and Mrs. C. A. Reardon, of Winchester street, were guests last Thursday at the home of Mrs. George Filitrault, of Howard street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Augustien and family, of Evergreen avenue, motored over last week end to Lagunitas, Marin county, where they visited at the country home of Mrs. Augustien's parents.

In the issue if April 20, an account of a gift presented to Mrs. Gatchell at Grace church should have read: "One-half dozen sherbert glasses were given by Mrs. W. H. Parker and Mrs. Nagle," instead of Mrs. Archer and Mrs. Nagle.

Mrs. J. Gelbmann, of 185 Irvington street, is reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. E. O'Brien, of Gambetta street, spent last Wednesday visiting friends in Mill Valley.

Mrs. Blanche Rollins, of Hillcrest Drive, left last Saturday evening for Connecticut, where she will join her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Caro, formerly of Rhine street, and now residing in Saratoga, were visitors in Daly City last Thursday.

Mrs. Colman Cox, of Ingleside Terrace, was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Mackey Moss, of Evergreen avenue, last Monday.

The bill for next Friday night at the State Theatre, which is the regular Novelty Night, will be Sally O'Neil and Owen Moore in "Becky."

Mrs. Mary McDermott and son Tom, of Oakland, were week end guests at the home of her son, Frank B. McDermott, of Templeton avenue.

Mrs. D. Appleton, of Washington, while on a motor trip to Tijuana visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Ricardo, of Vendome avenue, last Sunday.

Mrs. N. N. Dexter, of Vendome avenue, who recently celebrated her ninety-seventh birthday, had her hair bobed this week, and looks quite charming.

Mrs. Gertrude Parker, of Bellevue avenue, motored last Wednesday to Placerville with Mrs. Claude Lang, of Mission Terrace, returning on Thursday.

A number of Daly City people journeyed to Pleasanton last Sunday to attend the races, and report having spent a most enjoyable afternoon at the race track.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Swanson and Mr. and Mrs. John T. Murphy were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. McDermott, of Templeton avenue, last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bodien, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Heim and family, Mrs. Heim Sr., Miss Gladys Bizzo and Emil Wessier ware guests at Monte Vista last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Shaw.

Last Wednesday evening plans were completed for Mother's Night to be held by El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughters of the Golden West, on Wednesday evening, May 16, at Masonic Hall.

In addition to that splendid picture, "Love," in which John Gilbert and Greta Garbo are co-starred, the State Theatre will present a comedy, news reel and other attractions next Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. A. Miller, of Irvington street, who is visiting her sister at Colorado Springs, was suddenly taken ill while there and had to be operated on for appendicitis. She is now improving wonderfully.

The ladies of Grace Presbyterian church will meet for sewing on Wednesday, May 8, at 1:30 p. m., in the Sunday school room of the church, Hanover and Evergreen. The ladies invite you to come and join them.

Mrs. Gertrude Parker, of Bellevue avenue, entertained five of her girlhood friends at luncheon on Wednesday of last week, having as her guests Mrs. E. Johnson, Mrs. M. Schrefper, Mrs. E. Vortman and Mrs. B. Hoffer.

Mary Pickford, "America's sweetheart," will be seen at the State Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, in her latest picture, "My Best Girls." There will also be a comedy, news reel and other attractions.

A whist party and dance is to be given by the drill team of El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughters of the Golden West, on May 9, in the Daly City Auditorium. Miss Callista Dalton will be in charge of the game.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Chestney, of Crocker avenue, motored last Sunday to Sunnyvale to visit Mr. Chestney's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hind. In the afternoon they enjoyed a motor ride up Mt. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Fletcher, of Templeton avenue, entertained several guests at dinner last Sunday, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. W. Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lally and daughter Mary Louise, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Cragan.

Mr. and Mrs. Mal Tacchi are building a pretty new bungalow in South San Francisco and will move there as soon as it is completed. They are making their home at present with Mrs. Tacchi's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Foppiano, of Evergreen avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sibilia and daughter Gloria, of Peoria street, motored to Congress Springs last Sunday and picnicked, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. L. Hubener, Mr. and Mrs. William Chick and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Osborn Lyons and son Billie, and Mr. William Chandler.

HOOVER AND SMITH WIN IN PRIMARY

Herbert Hoover was given a large complimentary vote at the primary election last Tuesday, over half a million Californians expressing their desire that he be the Republican candidate for president.

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Governor Al Smith was victor in the Democratic primary by a landslide vote. His total was greater in this state than the combined votes of Senator James A. Reed and Senator Thomas J. Walsh. His state plurality over Reed, second in the race, was more than 60,000. Every section of the state was carried by the New Yorker. Latest returns give him all but two of the fifty-eight counties.

Mrs. Harry McKee, of Evergreen avenue, has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. A. Hogan and daughter Adelaide, of Hillcrest Drive, spent last week end visiting friends in Petaluma.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Colyer, of Bellevue avenue, spent last week end visiting at the home of Mr. Colyer's mother in Fresno.

Mrs. M. Barr, of Oakland, and Mrs. Walter White, of Theta avenue, visited Mrs. S. Crawford at Woodside last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sturdevant, of Los Banos avenue, are receiving the congratulations of their friends upon the birth of a daughter, born last Thursday morning.

The Royal Neighbors were entertained at the home of Mrs. D. Davie, assisted by Mrs. V. Woolridge, at 93 Morse street, San Francisco, on Tuesday evening of last week.

Gordon J. McKeown, of 703 Broderick street, was seriously injured last Tuesday in an automobile accident at Mountain View. Gordon has many friends in Daly City, where he formerly lived, who wish him a speedy recovery.

SOMETHING NEW

Modern railway locomotives are equipped with pipes to melt snow and ice from the tracks with jets of live steam.

One of the features of the new war airplane of the United States Army is the placing of two machine guns in the wings near the tips.

Electrically controlled calculating machines are now used in London to measure the earth.

A "typewriter" for skywriting with airplanes has been developed, consisting of tubes, projecting from the lower part of the plane, and are so arranged that any letter of the alphabet may be produced.

A flying bicycle has been invented in Vienna, Austria, capable of rising to a height of 3,000 feet and of traveling at the speed of 50 miles an hour.

With the perfection of a new wireless operated tele-cinematograph, it may be possible to see a motion picture in London one hour after the film has been taken in New York.

Physicians say that men with high blood pressure have twice as many automobile accidents as those with normal pressure.

John L. Baird, a young Scottish television experimentor, has succeeded in sending pictures of objects in motion across a space of 200 miles.

Karl Heinrich Meyer, a Swiss watchmaker, has invented a self-winding watch, the power necessary to keep the minute mainspring at the proper tension being derived from the expansion and contraction of a drop of glycerin.

A new machine has been invented that prints railroad tickets as they are bought, giving destination, price and date, and also records the sale.

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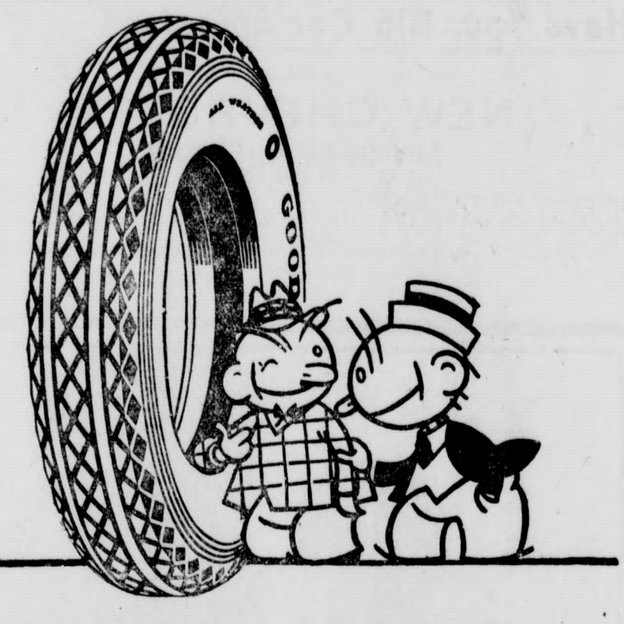

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